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REFTEL STATED OUR INTENTION TO FURNISH TEXT OF COUNTRY REPORT ON MOROCCO THROUGH CHIEF OF MUSLO TO NATIONAL DEFENSE ADMINISTRATION. GIVEN CURRENT ABASENCE OF CHIEF OF MUSLO FROM MOROCCO AND POSSIBILITY THAT REPORT MIGHT BECOME PUBLIC AS EARLY AS MARCH 7, AMBASSADOR DECIDED IT WOULD BE MORE TIMELY TO RAISE THE SUBJECT ORALLY WITH MINISTER OF INFORMATION BENHIMA AND ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER CHERKAOUI WHEN HE SAW THESE OFFICIALS ON MARCH 6 AND 7 RESPECTIVELY. AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT HUMAN RIGHTS REPORTS HAD TO BE SUBMITTED TO CONGRESS ON ALL RECIPIENTS OF SECURITY ASSISTANCE UNDER LEGISLATION ENACTED UNDER PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATION. HE ALSO EXPLAINED BASIC THRUST OF COUNTRY REPORT, POINTING OUT THAT IT WAS ESSENTIALLY A FACTUAL REVIEW. BENHIMA, WHO WAS FAMILIAR WITH CASE OF BRAZIL, EXPRESSED UNDERSTANDING, AS DID CHERKAOUI. GIVEN HIGH LEVEL OF OUR DEMARCHES AND THE MOROCCAN REACTION. WE BELIEVE WE HAVE COVERED THE SUBJECT IN SUFFICIENT DETAIL WITH THE GOM. ANDERSON

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